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1. The leading Italian aircraft companies are keeping their technical staffs busy working out new designs despite a serious depression in the aeronautical industry. Fiat has a new fighter design subsequent to the G 90, Piaggio has a new design called the P 160 and SIAI Marchetti is working on a later design than the S.M. 132.
2. Ambrosini has completed preliminary work on the Sagittario, a light bomber, and construction is now underway in southern Italy. The Macchi Company has reputedly submitted drawings of a new jet aircraft to the Italian Air Force.

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